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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

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LAUSANNE CONFERENCE.

GOOD WEEK'S WORK.

HIGH HOPES OF FINAL SUCCESS.

LAUSANNE, November 26.
The sum total of the week's work by the Conference has been to settle Turkey's European frontier along the Maritza, leaving West Thrace to Greece; to establish a broad demilitarised zone between Turkey on the one side and Greece and Bulgaria on the other; and incidentally to carry out the promise in the Treaty of Neuilly by giving Bulgaria an outlet to the Aegean at Dedeagatch or in its neighbourhood.

Indications are that there is a good chance of the conference succeeding. After Thrace, Turkey's Asiatic frontiers will be considered, then the all-important question of the Straits, for which the Russian delegates are en route for Lausanne.

BALKAN BLOC RECREATED.

The return of Turkey to Europe has recreated the Balkan bloc, consisting of Greece, Rumania and Yugoslavia. Bulgaria has declined to join the bloc owing to Greece opposing the cession of Dedeagatch to Bulgaria, while Turkey is apparently willing to pay the price of Bulgarian co-operation.

BERLIN, November 26.

Part of the Russian delegation headed by M. Rakovsky has arrived en route for Lausanne.

LAUSANNE, November 26.

It is learned from an American source that Mr. Child's statement is merely a clear exposition of the traditional policy of the United States in favour of the open door. There is no ulterior motive in the statement does not represent any new policy with regard to American interests in Europe or anything else.

The statement was made yesterday because Mr. Child considered the moment propitious at this early non-committal stage of the conference. Nevertheless the statement surprised some quarters. Some persist in believing it is not entirely unconnected with oil.

BOMB SHELL.

PARIS, November 26.

Le Journal's Lausanne correspondent wires that Mr. Child's statement has been a bombshell to the conference, especially the British delegates; but the Turks are pleased because Turkey has promised so many things to so many people that she is finding it difficult to steer a safe course.

The Figaro's correspondent expresses the opinion that the statement is aimed not only at the San Remo agreement but also at the Franco-Kemalist agreement.

[The American observer, Mr. Child, in a statement to the First Commission, emphasised that the sentiment of the American people overwhelmingly favoured the policy laid down in the memorandum of October 30 in reply to the invitation to be represented at the Conference, namely the assumption that the Allies will not carry into effect agreements in respect to Turkish territory which conflict with the principle of equality of economic opportunity and the open door.]

MORE ARMS ARRESTS.

CHINESE WOMAN'S TOY PISTOL.

"GOOD ENOUGH TO STOP ANYONE."

A Chinese woman was charged before Mr. R. E. Lidsell this morning with the unlawful possession of a small lady's revolver and 150 rounds of ammunition.

Mr. E. G. Vaux, defending, said that his client who had lived a number of years in America, was taking the revolver to her home in Hongkong. She was about to leave Hongkong by the s.s. "Taipei" when the revolver was found in her belt. Mr. Vaux suggested that the weapon was not a dangerous one, and was more likely to be a danger to its owner than anyone else.

Sergeant Fallon admitted that the weapon, which was of French make, was "more like a toy pistol," but the ammunition was good enough to "stop anyone." However, the police had no reason to disbelieve the defendant was a bona fide traveller.

A fine of \$100 was imposed and the contraband was confiscated.

BOX'S SINISTER CONTENTS.

A Chinese was charged before Mr. J. R. Wood this morning with the unlawful possession of two revolvers, one loaded in five chambers.

Sergeant Andrew said at 7.15 p.m. on November 14, he executed a search warrant at No. 31, Wang Street, Kowloon City in company with Sub-Inspectors Manick Wilson and Shannan. A locked box was found and the revolver and ammunition were found. Both weapons were retrievable. Defendant said seven other men in the house at the time were detained.

SUN YAT-SEN RETURNING?

FORMER SALT COMMISSIONER'S STATEMENT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, Nov. 27.

Chow Loo, who was Salt Commissioner when Dr. Sun Yat-sen was in Canton has sent a circular telegram to the Canton salt merchants intimating that the "anti-rebellion" troops are marching south and that Dr. Sun will return soon. He will not recognise any loans made to General Chen's government and advises them not to make the advance requested by the present Salt Commissioner.

In the box the witness also found the defendant's photograph.

The Magistrate enquired how the arms were brought home to the defendant.

Inspector Wilson said defendant admitted to him at the station that the box belonged to him.

Defendant said the arms were put in his box by a man named Cheung Choy and suggested that another man named Wong Kemul knew something about them.

The Magistrate held defendant responsible and sentenced him to twelve months' jail.

REVOLVER IN PILLOW.

Arrested by Sergeant Andrew on board the s.s. "President Wilson" yesterday for the unlawful possession of a revolver found hidden in his pillow, a Chinese named Wong Yee-sai was this morning sentenced by Mr. J. R. Wood to a fine of \$300 or three months' jail.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/4 9/16.
To-day's opening rate 2/4 9/16.

GERMANY'S TERRIBLE BURDEN.

FEDERAL COOPERATION WANTED.

BERLIN, November 26.

In the Reichstag, Herr Cuno announced he would shortly summon a meeting of the premiers of the Federal States to secure cooperation in solving Germany's problems.

Germany's budgetary deficit was now 890,000 million marks of which only 45,000 million was covered by this year's proceeds from the compulsory loan.

BARRER IN AMERICA.

GERMAN RAIDER OFFICER.

CINCINNATI, November 26.

Mr. Hamilton Cook, National Commander of the disabled American veterans of the world war, declares that the veterans will do everything legal in their power to prevent Captain von Muecke, former Commander of the German raider "Boden" from carrying out his proposal to lecture in the United States shortly.

INDIAN COAL EMBARGO.

BEING PROVISIONALLY REMOVED.

DELHI, November 26.

The Government of India announces the provisional removal of the embargo on the export of coal from January 1. If the distribution scheme introduced last July works well the removal of the embargo will be possible.

CLEMENTEAU'S CHARGES.

USUAL DENIAL NOW.

NEWHAVEN, CONNECTICUT, Nov. 26.

M. Clemenceau has declared he did not charge the British with wilfully permitting the sinking of the German fleet at Scapa Flow.

AMERICAN MINE DISASTER.

STILL ANOTHER ONE.

SANTA FE, November 26.

Seven persons were killed and 30 injured in a mine disaster.

WOULDN'T WASH.

RICE THIEF'S PLEA.

While the s.s. "Kianga" was discharging rice the other day a detective saw a man walking away with a bag of rice on his shoulder. Questioned, the man said the rice was given to him by the crew but this could not be substantiated and this morning he was produced before Commander Beekwith R. N. at the Marine Court and awarded a month's jail for being on board without permission.

The defendant explained that it was only rice sweepings he took and that he was hungry but this plea lost something of its force when he made unsuccessful representations afterwards to have his sentence commuted to a fine, undertaking to pay any reasonable penalty up to \$25.

ARMED MEN.

HILLSIDE MATCHED INMATES ROBBED.

Seven armed robbers broke into an unnumbered matched on the hillside at the back of Bay View on Saturday night. They bound and gagged the inmates and then stole jewellery, money and clothing worth \$264. The robbers escaped in the direction of Teatohimi, beyond the Ming Yuen gardens.

General Chen Ching-ming has sent a telegram instructing Hong Kong to do all he can to capture the How Kien, a fugitive of the robbers and at the same time persuade him to pay a visit to Canton. It has stated that he is engaged with plans for the recapture of Fokien and will remain in Swatow for the present, where his Chinese subordinates are.

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PEZZINI.—At Wuhu, to Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Pezzini, a daughter.

WHREN.—On November 22, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Whren, a son.

ARONOVSKY.—On Tuesday, November 21, 1922, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. D. G. M. Aronovsky a daughter.

RAMAGE.—On November 18, 1922, at Shanghai, the wife of Mr. G. E. Ramage, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

GREENSMITH—CRAYEN.—On November 22, 1922, at Shanghai, Reginald E. Greensmith, only son of Mr. and Mrs. George Greensmith, 155 Sloane Street, London, to Constance Lucy Craven, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Craven, late of Shanghai.

BARRERA—OZORIO.—On November 16, 1922, at Shanghai, Alexander L. Barrera to Irene Aurora Ozorio.

JOHNSTONE—KINGMAN.—On November 18, 1922, at Shanghai, Kenneth William Johnstone, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnstone, Richmond, Surrey, to Lucia Kingman, daughter of Mrs. E. A. Kingman, Toop-ka, Kanna.

MORRISON—BOYD.—On November 16, 1922, at Shanghai, Chester B. Morrison to Estelle, daughter of Mrs. H. Collis Boyd, of Melbourne, Australia.

DIAMOND WEDDING.

DONALD—MORE.—On November 21, 1862, at Dundee, Andrew B. Donald to Elizabeth Young, youngest daughter of John More, Merchant, Leoben.

DEATHS.

KINGSLEY.—On November 17, 1922, at Shanghai, Maurice Kingsley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Kingsley, aged 6 months.

ZIMMERMAN.—Mrs. P. Zimmerman, mother of Mrs. William Katz, at the age of 70.

RAYMOND.—On November 18, 1922, at Shanghai, Mrs. R. H. Raymond, of Hongkong, dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Elise, Mrs. Solomon and Miss Raymond.

THE CHINA MAIL

"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, MONDAY, NOV. 27, 1922.

THE "SUI AN" INQUIRY.

Seven days ago, it is now since Hongkong was startled by the news of the "Sui An" piracy. These seven days people have discussed and analyzed and criticized almost every detail of the outrage. They have glibly explained how the piracy could have been completely averted; how, once started, every single bandit could have been captured; and, of course, how another similar outrage can be made practically impossible. Guards, grills, steam hoses, wireless, searching—these and other precautions (some useful, many fanciful) they have weighed often with the solemn and happy assurance of the uninformed. "Sui An" exploits are, unfortunately, rare enough in local waters, and people naturally wish to make the most of this one. Mostly their comment has been harmless enough, while some has been interesting—indeed, a little has been quite helpful. Much, however, has been mischievous and much, grossly unfair with certain points largely subjective, the inquiry not yet held. Seven days now the wordy battle has raged, and yet the official silence continues.

Once the full story of the piracy had been told, it was stated an inquiry was "probable." Then followed the report that an inquiry was "almost certain." And there the matter has since rested. Official news that an inquiry will be held is still awaited. As a result, inquiry will be held; many points must be investigated properly if the lessons of the "Sui An" piracy are to become known and, where possible, incorporated in the Colony's legislation against piracy. Doubtless the wireless committee will explore the question of wireless for these river steamers. The "Sui An" inquiry can confine its

attention to weighing the efficacy of existing and proposed precautions. Many people seem to see nothing unfair in laying the blame for neglect and alleged failure of their information, has been attested—this with freedom that would bring unpleasant consequences for a newspaper guilty of the same offence. Therefore it believes the authorities to make speedy announcement that an inquiry will be held, and preferably also, when this action might possibly stop much idle and mischievous chatter.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Five junk men were picked up near Hoihow by the s.s. "Mike Maru" which arrived in Hongkong yesterday.

The Royal Hongkong Golf Club "Jasper Clark" Challenge Cup will be played for at Fanling on Sunday, December 3.

One case of enteric fever, Chinese, was notified during the 48 hours ended yesterday.

Lieutenant Conway Hake R.N.R. arrived back from leave by the s.s. "Gleniffer" on Saturday and resumed duty as Assistant Harbour Master to-day.

The screening of "The Three Musketeers" at the Coronet has had to be unavoidably postponed and for to-day only "All's Brought On" the popular British comedy, will be shown.

Hongkong is dependent to some extent on Tung Kuo for mutton. Very little has been arriving in the Colony lately as the workmen there have "downed tools" for better wages and conditions.

Housekeepers should lay in a supply of fresh meat for to-morrow when the butchers have a holiday. The occasion is the inaugural of their Guild. They will resume work on Wednesday as usual.

Six performers of "The Tempest" are to be given. The dates are given in an announcement among today's advertisements. Booking opens at Moutrie's on December 1 and early booking is advised.

The total population of Peking according to the last investigation is reported to be 81,136, comprised of 515,692 men and 305,376 women. As many as 100,000 are without profession, or are residing temporarily in Peking waiting for positions.

An advertisement published in this issue notified that the introduction of the revised import tariff of 1922 on goods imported into China by the Kowloon Canton railway was by the Kowloon Canton railway which was previously notified as to come into force from December 1st postponed.

Our Canton correspondent states: The Canton authorities are sending special men to investigate the fire at Tai Sha Tow which destroyed the aeroplane workshop. Several reactionaries are suspected and detectives have been detailed to prevent future outbreaks.

On Saturday, the Kwangtung Provincial Bank destroyed over three million dollars of cancelled twenty cents notes, states our Canton correspondent. The notes were packed into eighty-six cases and sent to the Electric Co.'s premises on the Bund, where they were burned.

According to our Canton correspondent, Wong Keung, the new Director of the Arsenal, is proceeding with the manufacture of a grenade projected from a kind of rifle. This grenade, unless several precautions are taken, results in injury for the user. A number have been sent to the Fuki-n front.

There will doubtless be a large audience at St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, at nine o'clock this evening to hear Mr. Christopher Pilkington give a lantern lecture on "Wanderings in West Africa." Mr. Pilkington is lecturer for the Solborne Society, London, and has made an extensive tour round the world. No charge is being made for admission.

A Chinese editor enclosed a rejection slip, when returning rejected contributions, which read as follows: "We have read your manuscript with infinite delight. Never before have we revelled in such a masterpiece. If we printed it the authorities would order us to take it for a model, and henceforth never print anything inferior to it. As it would be impossible to find its equal within ten thousand years, we are compelled, though shaken with sorrow, to return your living manuscript and for so doing we beg one million pardons!"

BURNED TO DEATH.

10-YEAR OLD GIRL MISSED IN FIRE P.M.I.

TWO BIG MAINLAND BLAZES.

KATTAN COMPANY'S \$30,000 LOSS.

Both the Hongkong and Kowloon Fire Brigades had a busy time yesterday, when they were called out to cope with two big fires which broke out within a couple of hours of each other in Taihang village and the Yau-mai end of Canton Road, respectively. The second fire cost one life, a 10-year old girl being burned to death.

The Taihang fire broke out about 10 p.m. The Brigade received a late call and when the engines arrived, four small two-storey houses Nos. 23, 25, 27, and 29—were found to be well ablaze. Two of the houses, all of which were flimsy structures, were used as workshop by the China Kattan Products Co. and the other two as cowsheds. All the structures collapsed within a short time. This gave the fire-fighters an advantage and with several hoses giving good pressure of water, they soon had the upper hand. How the fire originated is not known. All the cattle were removed from the cowsheds as soon as the blaze was discovered, so that the dairy people suffered little loss, excepting some hay stored in the sheds. The Chinese Kattan Products Co. suffered damage to the extent of \$30,000, which is, however, covered by insurance.

The alarm of the Yau-mai fire was received at 4.25 p.m. It originated in the ground floor of No. 196, Canton Road, the ground floor of which was used for storing gunny bags and peanuts by an oil pressing firm. These had the flames well and soon the whole house was involved. The fire-fighters turned their attention to the houses on either side, and these they succeeded in saving. No 56 was completely gutted, and the flames were not got under control until 7 p.m. A Chinese working-class woman living on the first floor, left her 10-year old daughter alone in the cubicle. The child was overlooked by the other inmates in their haste to get away, and she was burned to death. The extent of damage done by this blaze has not yet been ascertained.

ARSON ATTEMPT.

EUROPEAN SERGEANT'S PROMPT ACTION.

BIG BLAZE AVERTED.

An attempt to commit arson at No. 7, Singan Street in the central district, was discovered by Sergeant Ellis at 1.45 this morning, and his prompt action averted what might have been a big blaze. The Sergeant was out on special duty with some Chinese detectives when he noticed that the staircase of the house was well ablaze. He next discovered that some sackings saturated with kerosene were burning merrily, and the flames had already begun to char the woodwork. The Sergeant and his fukis promptly attacked the flames with their truncheons and after a stiff fight, succeeded in putting them out.

Enquiries made by a *China Mail* reporter among the Chinese led to nothing definite, but he discovered there is a strong rumour that the house was occupied by a Chinese newspaperman who had got on the "wrong side" of a secret society by his writings.

WEEK-END REFLECTION.

MAGISTRATE REDUCES HEAVY SENTENCE.

Mr. R. E. Lindell this morning reviewed his decision in the case in which a young Chinese was sentenced on Friday to six months' hard labour on each of two charges of uttering a forged document purporting to be an order for goods, issued by the Yee Hing shop, and unlawful possession of a forged "cheque" of the Yee Hing shop. The sentences were to run consecutively, which meant that the prisoner had to serve 12 months in all.

Addressing the prisoner this morning, the Magistrate said that he had thought the case over during the week end and had come to the conclusion that 12 months was excessive in view of the prisoner's youth and the fact that it was his first offence. He would therefore make the sentence to run concurrently.

Westminster guardians propose to provide cabs for 70 nurses at the Fulham-road Infirmary, costing £25,000, roughly £357 each.

FOOTBALL.

SATURDAY'S GAMES AND RESULTS.

POLICE v. HAWKINS.

The result of this match came as a big surprise for the Sailors and their supporters. They were sure reckoning on a 3-0 victory, but the Police with a very weak team played them to a goalless draw, thanks principally to their defence who played the game of their lives, especially Swan who has not been seen in such form since the Shield final.

In the first half play was of a very even nature possibly the Hawkins, who had the wind in their favour, getting slightly the better of exchanges. The Police had three chances this half, Johnson, Watson and Valentine all missing good chances of scoring. In the second half with the wind in their favour, the Police had more of the game and Watson and Valentine again had chances to score, the latter being right through but owing to a heavy charge just previously was winded and had to shoot from well out whereas if he had gone on he would have surely scored. During one of the Hawkins attacks on the Police goal McLaren had the misfortune to handle in the penalty area. From the spot kick Swan brought off a wonderful save and succeeded in sending over the bar for a corner which was cleared by McWalter and the final whistle went for a goalless draw.

The Police are to be congratulated on their fine performance for they were playing with practically nine men only, both the outside right and the outside left being passengers. For the Sailors the centre forward played a good game, but his methods are rather on the rough side. He was pulled up no less than four times on Saturday. That spoils good football.

CLUB v. CARLISLE.

With a very changed team the Club had an easy victory over the Sailors, scoring no less than five times, the Carlisle failing to reply. G. Rodger was in goal, his brother going outside right, McPhail at inside right, and McCubbin turned out in his old position and played a very fine game indeed. McPhail won the toss and the Sailors kicked off against the wind. Club were early prominent and Forsyth was through only to be brought down in the penalty area, the resultant spot kick opening the score. Carlisle came into the picture but their centre forward put behind when well placed, from the kick Stewart received and pushed forward to Forsyth who went in and scored No. 2. Carlisle came again, but found McCubbin very safe, Blackwell for the Carlisle was playing a fine game and should have scored, but when in range he seemed over anxious and parted with the ball too soon. Valentine was responsible for the Club's third goal after Wright for the Sailors had had very hard lines with a shot that skimmed the bar with Rodgers beaten to the wide. Half time score—Club 3, Carlisle 0.

With the wind in their favour the Carlisle pressed from the restart, but McCubbin cleared and Forsyth receiving went in and scored No. 4 and his third. Goal against the Club just outside the penalty area looked bad, Wright having hard luck with a fast shot that Rodgers just got to. From now on it was the club's game and they further increased their score through Valentine. They ran out winners as stated.

SOUTH CHINA v. DESPATCH.

Played on the Chinese ground. The Sailors ran out winners to the tune of 4 clear goals, much to everyone's surprise. They fully deserved their win for they played excellent football, but there was not a four goal difference in the play. The first goal was a misunderstanding for the Chinese left back thinking the ball had gone behind kicked to the goal keeper who let the ball into the net and the Referee awarded a goal. From the line the ball appeared to be cut but no whistle was heard and Fung has only himself to blame. Both teams now had plenty of opportunities to score but they were over anxious and good chances were missed. The Chinese especially missed an easy chance to equalize Chan Si trying the ball when well placed. Half time arrived with the Sailors one up.

In the second half with the wind in their favour, the Despatch practically had things all their own way. It appeared to be a case of shooting in goal, and but for the good play of the Chinese goalkeeper the score would have been heavier. White hit him twice and Henshaw added another, the final whistle going with the score as stated.

R.G.A. v. TAMAR.

Played at Sookumpoo, this game ended in a draw of one goal each.

CANTON'S CURRENCY.

FINANCIERS DISCUSS SALVAGE MEASURES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, NOV. 27.

A meeting has been held at the Finance Department, Canton's most prominent financiers attending, to discuss means for restoring the depreciated paper currency.

Two main lines were agreed upon. One was the drawing of bonds (or a lottery) for government and confiscated property. The other was to encourage the use of notes by permitting the payment of all revenues in notes.

A banker pointed out that nearly the whole of the issues was in Canton. There were over ninety districts and he suggested that special men be sent to roll notes at par for payment of revenue. The abattoir, wine, tobacco and leather taxes should also be paid in notes and a steady demand would be created.

The banker expressed the opinion that if the whole province could be taught to use it, the paper currency would soon revert to a much higher value.

The Finance Commissioner is submitting the proposal to the Civil Governor for approval.

Both teams missed chances, the Tamar especially having a lot of bad "fioss," but they were not playing their usual game, and the Gunners' backs were pretty safe. Half time saw no score.

The Gunners attacked from the restart and after about ten minutes, McHugh scored for them with a shot that Routley should have saved. A few minutes later Cousins missed a fine chance of increasing the score from a pass from Harris, hanging on too long and being robbed. A misunderstanding between the R. G. A. backs saw their goalkeeper run out to clear but he missed the ball and the Tamar forwards being well up had no difficulty in putting the ball in the net. Midfield play followed until the final whistle.

AMBROSE v. TITANIA.

On Sookumpoo "B" ground, the Titania, playing their first game in this League, were unlucky to lose by the odd goal in three. The first half was very even, Edmonds scoring for the Ambrosas who led at the interval by the only goal scored.

In the second half Price made the scores level, and up to a few minutes of time this was the score. The Ambrosas got away and Welbourne scored the winning goal of the game.

SECOND DIVISION.

KOWLOON v. AMBROSE.

Played at Hung Hom, this match resulted in a win for Kowloon by the odd goal in four.

MARAZION v. WARDERS.

Played on Navy "B," this resulted in a win for the Sailors by 2 goals to one. The Warders have now scored their first goal in League football.

KINGS v. TITANIA.

Played at Sookumpoo. The Soldiers ran away with the game to the tune of 6 goals, the Sailors failing to reply.

R.G.A. v. POLICE.

This was an easy win for the Gunners who scored 5 goals, the Police replying with one.

ST. JOSEPH'S v. CARLISLE.

The College just managed to win this game by 2 to 1. The result should have been a draw, for the Sailors missed a penalty.

HAWKINS v. SOUTH CHINA "A."

The Flagship's second string defeated the Chinese by 2 goals to none.

UNITED v. UNIVERSITY.

A very fast game which the United just managed to win by 2 goals to one. A draw would have been a better result for there was no difference in the two teams.

Owing to the late arrival in port of H. M. S. Durbin their match against the Chinese "B" was postponed, as also was their First Division game against Kowloon.

FANLING GOLF.

A. B. STEWART WINS CHAMPIONSHIP.

At Fanling yesterday Mr. A. B. Stewart won the golf championship for the third time by defeating Mr. T. W. Hill by seven up and five to play. His previous victories were in 1916 and 1919.

The weather was cold, but the course was in good condition and favoured a good game.

A large number of interested spectators, including the Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen, President of the Club, followed the players round the course both in the morning and afternoon.

Although the conditions were favourable generally, the golf was not of a high standard. The putting was indifferent, and bogey was beaten only on three occasions in 31 holes, twice by the winner and once by Hill.

A fresh breeze blew in the morning, and this gave Hill some trouble. His drives were often high, were carried away. Stewart also had some trouble from the same cause, but he played a steadier game generally. He out-distanced his opponents with his driving, but failed on the greens. The outward journey was covered by the winner in 43 against his opponent's 47. With Stewart leading up at the turn, Hill started somewhat and managed to halt 10th and 11th holes, and taking the next three holes fairly easily, he reduced the lead to one. He was at his best at the 12th hole (The Gem) which he did one under bogey. This was the only occasion on which bogey was beaten in the morning. The 15th and 16th holes went to Stewart, but Hill took the 17th with a long putt. Hill continued to play steadily, and halving the Home hole, was 2 down at the Tiffin interval.

The approximate morning scores were: Stewart: Out, 5, 5, 3, 5, 5, 6, 4, 5, 6; Home, 6, 5, 3, 6, 5, 5, 4, 6, 5, Total, 88. Hill: Out, 6, 5, 4, 5, 5, 6, 4, 6, 6; Home, 6, 5, 5, 5, 4, 6, 6, 5, 5, Total, 91.

Stewart started very confidently in the afternoon, and took the first three holes fairly easily. Hill asserted himself and halved the 4th. Stewart took the next and the 6th and 7th were again halved. Then Stewart again went to the fore and at the turning, had a big advantage of 8 up. Hill then succeeded in winning a couple of holes, but at the 31st Stewart won the match by holing out in one under bogey.

The afternoon scores were: Stewart: Out, 4, 4, 3, 5, 4, 5, 4, 4, 6; Home, 5, 5, 5, 4, 5, 4, 6, 5, 5, Total, 90. Hill: Out, 5, 6, 4, 5, 6, 4, 6, 4, 7; Home, 5, 5, 4, 5, Total, 95.

Morning Afternoon Total for Round, 88, 90, 178. Hill 91, 95, 186.

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1915.—Capt. C. Campbell.
1916.—A. B. Stewart.
1917.—A. Ritchie.
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1920.—R. L. D. Woodhouse.
1921.—R. M. Smith.

Mr. B. D. Crawford Morgan had charge of the game.

At the conclusion of the match Mr. A. G. Stephen, President of the Club, handed the Championship and runner-up trophies to Mr. Stewart and Mr. Hill respectively. He remarked that they were meagre looking cups and that they would be replaced by trophies more worthy of the occasion. They had seen a very fine match. There was nothing of an international character about it, because both players were Scots. He concluded by saying that the best player had won the match.

OPERA SEASON OVER.

ITALIAN COMPANY'S FINE RECORD.

How often does the National Anthem surprise a Hongkong theatre audience still in its seats? Rarely enough, one trows. This unusual compliment Saturday night's Theatre Royal audience paid the Grand Italian Opera Company which crowned its opera hero with a brilliant second performance of "Lucia di Lammermoor." That the audience, who the curtain had fallen the last time, should remain seated to applaud the *prima* was a tribute perhaps more expressive than any other they have received during their fortnight's season here. Having staged some of the finest works in opera and staged them with rare ability, the Italian Grand Opera Company leaves many pleasant memories among the Colony's music-lovers, who will assuredly extend an equally warm welcome should the Company sing here again.

SPECIAL CABLE.

ILLICIT DRUGS SEIZED.

LLOYD TRISTINO LINER'S CONTRABAND.

[China Mail Special.]

SINGAPORE, Nov. 27.
The Lloyd Tristino liner "Nippon" was discovered here to have aboard a large quantity of morphine and cocaine for China.
The storekeeper, Sun one Peich, and two of the ship's crew were arrested.
The first named was fined \$750.
The case against the others also the captain for allowing his vessel to carry contraband, is being heard later.

LO WEN-KAN.

CABINET MINISTER RETURNS TO JAIL.

PERMIS, November 26.
A Chinese news agency last night reported that the judicial authorities have issued a fresh warrant for the arrest of Lo Wen-kan.
This is denied to day in official circles where it is stated Lo returned to the procurator's jail yesterday of his own accord on the ground that it was not for him to remain on the presidential premises while under arrest.

P KING POLITICS.

CONFLICTING REPORTS CURRENT.

PERMIS, November 26.
The most conflicting reports are circulating regarding the political situation and the activities of the various groups now engaged in bitter strife.

The President undoubtedly intended to issue a mandate accepting the resignation of Wang Chung-hui and his followers.

Circles unfavourable to Parliament say a group of members, learning of the President's intention and wanting Guang Shou-ting appointed Acting Premier, visited the Presidency yesterday afternoon and strongly protested against the appointment of Kuo Ling-wei.

Any way no mandate has been issued.

Kao Hsiung-tai and Sun Tan-lin identified themselves yesterday evening with the resignation of Wang Chung-hui, in a circular telegram signed by all the late Cabinet members except Kuo Ling-wei and Chang Shou-ting stating that the Cabinet had resigned and they did not intend to attend office further.

It is reported that Kuo Ling-wei will proceed to Peking and Li Yung-tai to-morrow.

Meanwhile it is reported Li Yung-tai intends to quit and Kao Ling-wei and Chang Shou-ting will nominally remain Cabinet members. They are in conflict with the President.

LOCAL STRIKE.

WATCHMAKERS' TROUBLE MEDIATION.

The watchmakers' dispute has not yet been settled. Mr. Ip Lan-chuen, the Secretary of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, is intervening and both sides are ready to fall in with his mediation. At a recent meeting in the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, the workmen's delegates denied they were officials of the Guild. Altogether over two hundred men are out of work, but about thirty have returned to their previous employment.

STRANGE MISHAP.

EIGHTEEN STONE WOMAN FALLS ON LITTLE GIRL.

Louisa Butler, a girl of 8, whose home is at St. Luke's square, Canton Town, met with a strange and serious accident whilst spending the day at Theydon Bois, the summer resort of countless thousands of children during the season.

She was ascending the stairs of the hotel skelter at Gray's Retreat, met in hand to enjoy the slide down. Walking in front of her was a woman who weighs 18st. bound on the same errand.

Just when nearing the top the woman slipped and fell, knocking down the child behind her and pinning Louisa under her at the bottom of the stairs.

With assistance a police constable pulled the woman from off the child, when it was found the latter had sustained a greenstick fracture of the right thigh, and is now an inmate of Epping Cottage Hospital.

"SUI AN" PIRACY.

SHANGHAI NEWSPAPER COMMENT.

The seizure of the "Sui An" on Sunday afternoon by a gang of organized pirates and their murderous assault and robbery of the passengers, remind us once more of the ugly trails which lie not far below the surface of this unlovely, agreeable race, says the Shanghai Times. For the most part, banditry and piracy, though in situations of great antiquity with the Chinese, have found their victims among people of their own colour, and it is rather a shock to learn that neither respect nor fear will restrain them from attacks on foreigners when the opportunity appears to be a good one. Reports say that four of the pirates, one of them a woman, were wounded, which will not be a matter for any deep regret though we cannot but think the many casualties, including two deaths, inflicted by them on the passengers and officers an abnormally high toll in addition to the few thousand dollars worth of loot they secured.

Lives are cheaper in China than in the West, and it is possible that the Chinese pirates did not give a second thought to the heroic deaths of the two Indians, or stop to find out whether the Captain and First Officer were dead or only wounded. The event, in any case, is a reminder that foreigners in China and Chinese waters are only as safe as long as they are not too far from a port of refuge. In an extreme case, we have a Boxer revolt, and with several weak governments in the country, we might well have another one. Bolds of all kinds, whether by land or sea, are likely to be injurious in the highest degree to the Chinese themselves, and in their own interests, they would be well advised to put their houses in order and give such protection to foreigners as their powers permit. The elements of international peace will require this course, and the state of affairs in which the Chinese cannot hold themselves indifferent, likewise demands it. Such narratives may afford good material for works of fiction, but the sooner it is realized that they are out of harmony with civilized life the better for all concerned.

CHINA'S PIRATES.

In this Flowery Land that is not so fragrant as we should like it to be, nor its natives quite so celestial as they might be, it is perhaps not to be wondered at that it is still the home of many hold, bad bandits and pernicious pirates, says the Shanghai Mercury. The detailed narrative of the piracy on board the "Sui An," while voyaging last Sunday between Macao and her home-ward trip to Hongkong will cause most people who read the story to continue to have serious misgivings with regard to China's progress towards a civilization worth having. From time to time during the past dozen years foreigners and Chinese passengers in South China have been subject to the menace—apparently ever present—of wholesale robbery by desperate Chinese, so-called pirates, who usually travel as ordinary passengers and then, fully armed and numerically powerful, set about to control the ship, rob and murder as the situation may demand. Some half dozen years ago a vessel flying the British flag, in the present case, was not only attacked, at about the same place, and the merchants not only robbed and terrified their own countrymen and countrywomen—but poured kerosene over the deck, set it ablaze, and camped and left hundreds of helpless people to perish. It is a ghastly business and one in which China holds a most notorious position in the eyes of the world.

THE "SUI AN" ATTACK.

The story of the attack on the "Sui An," makes very good reading from the dramatic point of view, but it is a matter that ought and doubtless will be deeply deplored by every decent person who reads it. Such happenings would disgrace any country and, in so far as they affect foreigners, most of whom are merely sojourning in this island and consequently are virtually under the protection of the Chinese Government, they bring a national disgrace upon China. The Chinese Government may be inclined to believe that a certain amount of the responsibility is lifted off their shoulders by the fact that the "Sui An" piracy took place in the British flag and was in proximity to a British Colony. That does not alter the fact that it was Chinese who were the pirates and who treacherously made use of their position as passengers. Had a British vessel been brought timorously from Hongkong, a very different result would have been effected, but it is of course impossible to expect

DETECTIVE'S DEATH.

WING WO STREET AFFAIR.

MURDER TRIAL BEGINS.

The shooting of Detective Sergeant Sin Chuen in Wing Wo Street on September 29 was investigated by Mr. Justice Gompertz and a jury at the Criminal Sessions to-day when two men, Chu Kam and Li Shing-cheung were brought up on an indictment of murder.

The members of the jury who heard the case were—Messrs J. Hooper, (foreman), G. Gerken, S. Baker, V. M. Barnard, J. E. Joseph, W. K. Kennedy and J. O. Sheppard.

In charge of the Crown case was the Attorney General (the Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp K.C.). The prisoners were defended by Mr. Campbell Prosser.

Outlining the facts to the jury, the Attorney General said that the murder was the sequel to an armed robbery which took place at 26 Wing Wo Street. It was no part of the Crown case that either of these two men actually fired the shot which killed the detective; in fact the evidence tended to show that the second prisoner at all events, did not fire it. It would be admitted, however, that the doctrine of "common purpose" applied and that on the evidence they were both guilty of murder.

Sir Chuan Mr. Kemp explained, was with another detective named Lam Kwan near No. 6 Wing Wo Street when they saw a gang of men standing outside the door of No. 26. The men began to move away quickly and then—The detective pursued them and in the chase Sin Chuen was killed by a shot fired by one of the gang. An other detective named Mak Wa was going along Des Voeux Road when the affair occurred and later on he helped Lam Kwan to capture one of the prisoners in The Sun Company's premises. Another detective named Kwong Heung, who was walking along Wing Lok Street, was instrumental with a Chinese constable, in bringing about the capture of the other prisoner on the scene.

Evidence regarding the robbery, the Attorney General indicated would show that two men entered a shop on the first and second floors of No. 26 Wing Wo Street and to one of the partners they produced two baskets which, he said, had been sent from Macao. The partner was just about to go upstairs when a revolver was pointed at him and he was gagged and put into a cage. Four other men followed, several of the intruders being armed with revolvers and some with daggers. While they were still in the shop a window was blown and the robbers ran out.

Charged at the police station, Chu Kam said: "I did not assault him; it was not I who assaulted him." Regarding a charge of robbery preferred against him, he said that he did not steal the things. When he was arrested a gold watch which had been stolen from 26 Wing Wo Street a few minutes before was found in his possession. At the Magistrate's hearing he stated that he picked this up in Des Voeux Road. The other prisoner, when charged with murder, denied that he killed Sin Chuen and said he was in the Sun Company's premises. He said he did not go to Wing Wo Street and did not know where it was.

The Attorney General said that together 25 witnesses, several of whom had identified the prisoners would be called. Although there was no evidence that either man fired the fatal shot it would still be submitted that if the jury could be satisfied that one of the party did it in pursuance of a common purpose and that the prisoners were aiding and abetting then the prisoners were guilty of murder.

The hearing of evidence, which is expected to occupy about two days, was then proceeded with.

CANTON BANK FAILS.

EXCESSIVE SPECULATION BLAMED.

(From Our Own Correspondent)

CANTON, Nov. 27.
A Canton native bank has failed owing to excessive speculation. Its indebtedness is expected to exceed two lakhs.

Another bank, which had only recently commenced business, suffers to the extent of twenty thousand dollars paid to the other for remittance to Hongkong, just before it suspended payment.

Rumour states that a prominent member of the Provincial Assembly is a sleeping partner in the bank.

The Hongkong-Macao route to be controlled by gunboats in such a manner. The Chinese and no others are to blame for such desperate piracies, and as far as may be they should be held accountable.

DEMPSY & A MOOSE.

KNOCK-OUT WIN FOR THE MOOSE.

Jack Dempsey, the heavy weight boxing champion, was knocked out by a moose.

One of the party of which Dempsey was a member returned to St. John's New Brunswick, in the morning and said that Dempsey had been hurt by a large moose.

Disregarding warnings he had seized a animal by the horns. The moose tossed Dempsey a distance of 20 feet. The fall completely minded him, but except for bruises he was none the worse.

Dempsey has just learned of the defeat of Carpenter by Battling Siki in Paris. He had never heard of Siki, but declared that he was willing to meet him any time.

Canton's vernacular press is served for news by a number of reporter agencies. A number of women graduates have just formed an agency and will be in the field within the course of the week.

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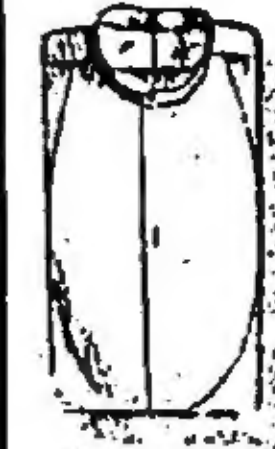
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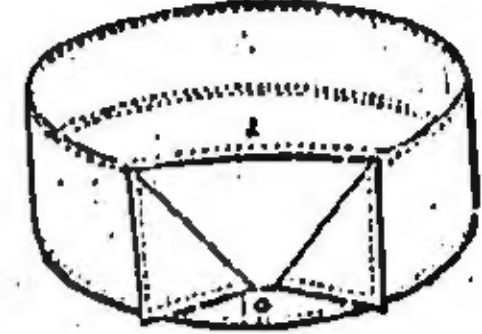
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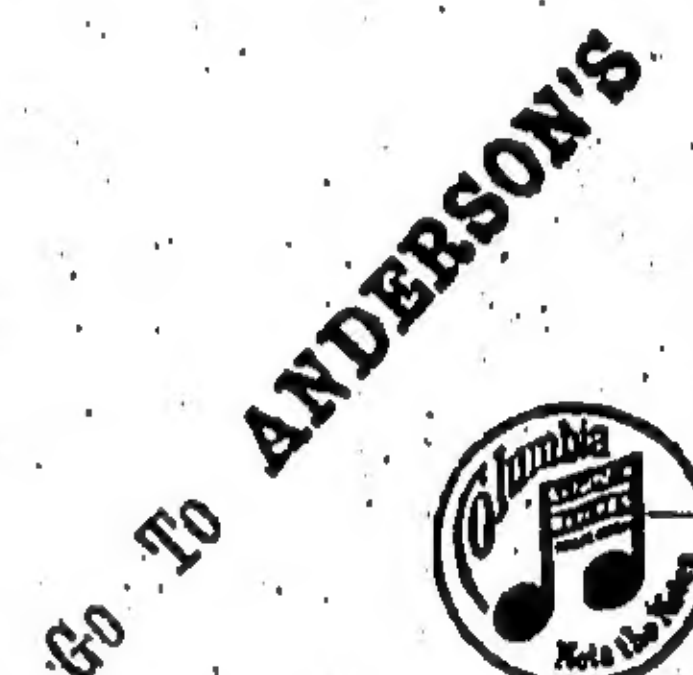
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CRICKET.

LEAGUE MATCHES.

K.C.C. v. C.S.C.C.

Played at Happy Valley on Saturday and won by the Civil Service, by 5 wickets and 138 runs.

Scores:—

CIVIL SERVICE.
G. R. Sayer, b. Pantonji 49
A. Grimmett, c. Overy, b. Evans 12
E. C. Fincher, retired 85
F. Baker, b. Pantonji 2
A. E. Wood, retired 53
Extras 9

Total (for 5 wickets, dec.) 190

E. W. Hamilton, F. J. Ling, F. H. Holdman, C. Uher, C. Sara, E. B. Reid did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Capt. Spinks	5	0	35	0
E. D. Evans	12	3	29	1
H. Overy	2	0	20	0
R. Pantonji	9	3	29	2
G. A. V. Hall	7	1	38	0
H. H. Benson	1	0	12	0
L. H. R. Duncan	2	0	8	0
Extras	1	0	0	0
Total	52	7	190	3

—1 wide ball.

K.C.C.

C. I. Stapleton, c. Holdman, b. Ling 6
Capt. F. E. Spinks, run out 22
S. Jex, c. Sara, b. Reid 0
H. H. Benson, c. Holdman, b. Ling 0
B. D. Evans, b. Ling 6
G. A. V. Hall, b. Reid 3
A. K. Minn, b. Reid 1
N. B. Kitchell, c. Reid, b. Hamilton 1
O. Dances, b. Reid 7
L. A. R. Duncan, b. Reid 0
R. Pantonji, c. Baker, b. Hamilton 1
L. J. Blackburn, not out 10
Extras 3

Total 52

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
E. B. Reid	11	4	23	4
F. J. Ling	8	1	20	3
E. W. Hamilton	2	0	6	2

NAVY v. VARSITY.

Played on the University ground and won by the home team by 99 runs.

Scores:—

NAVY.
Rev. Purcell, st. Yeow, b. Rumjahn 15
Rev. Crole-Rees, c. and b. Balhetchet 2
Lieut. D'Arcy Evans, b. Balhetchet 0
Pay-Lieut. Gregory, c. Gittens, b. Balhetchet 7
Commodore Grace, b. Balhetchet 1
Lieut. Lindsell, b. Balhetchet 0
Eng.-Com. Edwards, b. Roffey, b. Balhetchet 4
Lieut. Skinner, b. Balhetchet 2
Lieut. Adcock, not out 5
Lieut. Beatty, c. Osman, b. Balhetchet 4
Lieut. Bowley, b. Rumjahn 0
Extras 6

Total 46

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Balhetchet	7	0	17	7
Rumjahn	6	4	23	3

UNIVERSITY.

Rev. E. K. Quick, b. Beatty 0
T. E. Yeob, c. Grace, b. Crole-Rees 10
A. A. Rumjahn, c. Pantonji, b. Gregory 8
M. H. Mofey, c. Purcell, b. Gregory 10
N. B. Balhetchet, c. Crole-Rees 29
M. B. Osman, b. Adcock 11
A. Heallin, c. Crole-Rees, b. Gregory 17
W. Gittens, b. Crole-Rees 0
B. P. Ng, c. and b. Gregory 17
T. O. Yeow, not out 20
Extras 16

Total 145

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Balhetchet	7	0	17	7
Rumjahn	6	4	23	3

FRRIENDLY MATCHES.

O.R.C. v. H.K.C.C.

Played on the Club ground and won by the home team by 4 wickets and 170 runs. Mitchell scored the first century of the season.

Scores:—

H.K.C.C.
R. Crawford Morgan, run out 24
R. E. A. Webster, c. Shi b. Lee 34
D. E. J. Nicholson, c. Choo, b. Lee 5
J. Owen Hughes, c. Shi, b. Wong 42
E. J. R. Mitchell, not out 102
J. D. Humphreys, c. Choo, b. Wong 4
D. R. East, c. and b. Wong 20
E. Lamont, not out 18
Extras 18

Total (for 6 wickets, dec.) 249

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Beatty	11	3	30	1
Gregory	10	1	35	4
Rev. Crole-Rees	6	2	15	3
Adcock	4	0	29	2
Bowley	3	0	14	0

LEAGUE II.

U.S.C.C. 2ND v. K.C.C. 2ND.

Played at Kowloon and resulted in a draw, each side finishing with a score of 107 runs.

Scores:—

U.S.C.C.
W. Cowen, b. Fraser 12
H. Sandford, c. Fraser, b. Fletcher 8
K. Dunkley, c. and b. Jeffries 8
F. Haynes, run out 10
C. Tachell, c. and b. Shenton 19
W. Hill, b. Haslett 0
H. Cullip, b. Shenton 0
R. Taylor, b. Shenton 0
Watson, b. Haslett 20
A. Oswick, c. and b. Shenton 5
B. E. G. Spinks, not out 12
Extras 11

Total 107

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Fraser	9	1	33	1
Fletcher	13	0	33	2
Shenton	4	3	2	4
Brown	7	0	15	0
Haslett	2	1	16	2

K.C.C.

A. O. Brown, c. Haynes, b. Hill 15
J. C. Fletcher, b. Cowen 8
B. Pethers, b. Brown 5
W. Hyde, b. b. Taylor 19
E. J. Edwards, b. Taylor 35
F. G. Harridge, b. Cowen 11
C. W. Jeffries, c. and b. Taylor 3
J. Fraser, b. Taylor 7
W. B. Haslett, not out 3
W. S. Drake, b. Cowen 8
Extras 2

Total 107

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
R. Taylor	11	1	45	4
W. Cowen	13	1	51	4
W. Hill	3	0	12	1
E. Dunkley	1	0	11	0

W. J. Shenton did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
R. Taylor	11	1	45	4
W. Cowen	13	1	51	4
W. Hill	3	0	12	1
E. Dunkley	1	0	11	0

U.S.C.C. v. POLICE.

Played at Sookumpoo and resulted in a draw, time intervening with the Police wanting 21 runs to win.

Scores:—

U.S.C.C.
O. Rumjahn, b. Alexander 12
Y. A. Wahup, c. Baker, b. C. Earnshaw 7
F. M. Arculli, c. Baker, b. C. Earnshaw 0
D. Mohamed, b. King 11
B. A. Moosdeen, retired 15
R. Nazaria, c. Hallam, b. Alexander 35
G. A. V. Hall, b. Reid 3
A. K. Minn, b. Reid 1
N. B. Kitchell, c. and b. Alexander 1
I. Hassan, b. King 8
E. Moosdeen, b. Watts 17
J. Achber, not out 1
Extras 14

Total 122

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
O. F. Alexander	11	1	40	3
C. Earnshaw	12	2	30	3
W. J. Watts	9	1	38	1
T. H. King	7	0	30	2

POLICE.

R. Earnshaw, run out 20
C. F. Alexander, c. Wahup, b. Arculli 15
Chester Wood, b. Arculli 2
W. J. Watts, hit wicket, b. Minn 11
C. Earnshaw, run out 34
T. H. King, b. Arculli 0
L. C. Elwood, c. Nazaria, b. Minn 2
B. Thorpe, c. Rumjahn, b. Arculli 7
A. V. Baker, not out 1
T. Hallam, not out 2
Extras 8

Total for 8 wickets 102

S. Garrod did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
N. B. Kitchell	6	0	27	0
I. Hassan	7	0	30	0
F. M. Arculli	8	1	28	4
J. Achber	11	0	2	0
A. K. Minn	3	1	7	2

—Bowled 1 no ball.

—Bowled 2 wide balls.

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D. R. East, c. and b. Wong 20
E. Lamont, not out 18
Extras 18

Total (for 6 wickets, dec.) 249

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
A. U. Arculli	14	0	48	4
A. H. Rumjahn	6	0	42	2
S. H. Ismail	10	0	42	4

—Bowled 1 wide.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Hancock did not bat.				
Hung	4	0	25	0
Ching	14	1	89	0
G. Lee	10	0	46	2
Choo	2	0	16	0
Wong	7	0	55	3

C.R.C.

C. Choo, c. Lammett, b. Pearce 16

H. C. Hung, b. Lammett 16

G. Lee, b. Lammett 0

J. L. Tan, c. Owen Hughes, b. Lammett 1

Wong Sik To, b. Webster 18

H. Hunt, c. Davies, b. Lammett 20

H. Ching, c. Lammett, b. Owen Hughes 1

Wong Sik Ching, b. Webster 1

Shi Yik Owan, not out 9

Wong Wing Ku, b. Webster 8

Extras 3

Total 79

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Pearce	4	1	6	1
Lammett	9	2	38	4
Humphreys	4	1	8	0
Webster	8	1	9	2
J. Owen Hughes	0	4	10	2

EWO v. TAIKOO.

Ewo won an exciting match by 2 wickets. Tai Koo batted first and scored 69, Ewo scored 75 for 8 wickets but at one period of the innings the score was 30 runs with 5 wickets down when Cornaby and Lyon pulled the game round. The fielding of both sides was excellent and accounted to a great extent for the low scoring.

The match was well supported there being between 60 and 70 people present including Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. R. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stewart, Mr. G. M. Young and a large number of ladies.

During the tea interval Mr. Edkins made a few remarks and proposed a vote of thanks to the Committee of the Chinese Recreation Club, for their kindness in lending the ground and to Mr. Ho Leung for providing tea for those present to which Mr. Ho Leung suitably replied.

Scores:—

TAIKOO.
H. Spicer, b. Pierce 5
A. L. Grace, c. Cornaby, b. Raiton 1
G. A. Chadwick, c. Gatch, b. Pierce 18
J. D. H. Crawford, b. b. Raiton 14
R. C. Hagen, st. Galloway, b. Pierce 16
H. W. Roger, b. Raiton 0
B. Crowley, c. Raiton, b. Pierce 0
D. Bigg, c. and b. Raiton 3
R. M. Chaloner, c. Galloway, b. Raiton 0
E. C. England, c. Raiton, b. Pierce 0
J. M. Kaye, not out 2
Extras 2

Total 59

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
G. H. Pierce	8	0	25	5
N. L. Raiton	8	1	32	1

EWO.

W. W. Mackenzie, c. Kaye, b. Chadwick 2
W. Brackenridge, b. b. England 13
O. H. Pierce, c. Rode, b. Chadwick 4
H. F. Hollands (capt.) run out 7
W. Galloway, b. England 0
N. L. H. Raiton, b. Chadwick 1
W. B. Cornaby, b. Chaloner, b. Chadwick 17
E. F. Aucott, c. Gatch, b. England 12
T. G. Lyon, not out 0
T. H. Gatch, not out 0
Extras 18

Total (for 8 wickets) 75

P. Tod did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Chadwick	18	3	15	4
Crawford	6	1	10	0
England	4	0	20	3
Chaloner	2	0	12	0

INFANTRY v. I.R.O.

Played at Happy Valley, time intervened before the match could be concluded.

Scores:—

INFANTRY.
Capt. Le Fleming, b. A. R. Rumjahn 6
Lieut. White, b. Arculli 5
Lieut. Bacon, c. S. A. R. Ismail, b. S. H. Ismail 44
Major Wright, c. S. A. R. Ismail, b. Arculli 40
Lieut. Jones, b. Arculli 0
Capt. Howard, b. S. H. Ismail 18
Lieut. Thompson, b. Arculli 6
Lieut. Martin, b. Arculli 0
Lieut. Reading, c. S. H. Ismail, b. A. H. Rumjahn 10
A. H. Rumjahn, not out 10
Lieut. Jesop, b. S. H. Ismail 1
Extras 6

Total 158

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
A. U. Arculli	14	0	48	4
A. H. Rumjahn	6	0	42	2
S. H. Ismail	10	0	42	4

—Bowled 1 wide.

COMPANY MEETING.

CHINA LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, LTD.

THE NEW SHARE ISSUE.

The proposal to increase the Company's capital to \$1,500,000 by the issue of 100,000 new shares at a premium of \$5 per share met with some opposition at an extraordinary general meeting of the China Light and Power Company, Ltd., held on Saturday morning at the offices of the General Managers, Messrs Shewan Tomes & Co.

Mr. R. Shewan presided and there were also present Sir Paul Chater, Dr. J. W. Noble, and Mr. H. P. White (Directors), Mr. Poon I Cho (Secretary), and Messrs. C. A. da Rosa, H. H. Taylor, W. J. Hawker, A. S. Ellis, A. A. Botelho, A. L. Austin, E. F. Ellis, J. M. Alves, A. A. Cuterrez, Lee Hy San, A. V. Apear and F. J. Tavares (shareholders).

After the notice convening the meeting had been read, the Chairman said:—Gentlemen,—As shown in the notice which has just been read this meeting has been convened for the purpose of increasing the capital of the Company by the issue of 100,000 further shares of the nominal value of \$5 each. These shares are to be offered to existing shareholders in the ratio of one new share for each two old shares that they hold and at a premium of \$5 a share. Shareholders are not to be entitled to any fraction of a new share in respect of an odd share held by them. The General Managers are given power to dispose of any of the new shares not taken up in any manner they think fit. There will thus be raised \$1,000,000 additional funds which the Company will employ in the manner indicated in my speech at the annual general meeting of the Company held on the 9th of this month. I do not think there is anything further with which I need deal, but if any shareholders would like to ask questions or seek any explanation, I shall endeavour to answer questions and give such explanation to the best of my ability.

No questions were asked and the Chairman then proceeded to move the third resolution, recently advertised, which show how it is

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Score	Civil Service	C.S.C.C.
G. R. Sayer, b. Pestonji	49	
A. Grimmett, c. Overy, b. Evans	12	
E. C. Finch, retired	65	
F. Baker, b. Pestonji	2	
A. E. Wood, retired	63	
Extras	9	
Total (for 5 wks, dec.)	190	

E. W. Hamilton, F. J. Ling, F. H. Holdman, C. Usher, C. Sara, E. B. Red did not bat.

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Capt. Spinks	5	0	35	0
B. D. Evans	12	3	39	1
H. Overy	2	0	20	0
R. Pestonji	9	3	29	2
G. A. V. Hall	7	1	38	0
H. H. Benson	1	0	12	0
L. H. R. Duncan	2	0	8	0
*-1 wide ball.				
Total	52			

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
E. B. Reed	11	4	23	4
F. J. Ling	8	1	20	3
E. W. Hamilton	25	0	6	2
Extras				
Total	46			

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Balhetet	7	0	17	7
Rumjahn	6	4	23	3
Extras				
Total	13			

NAVY v. VARSITY.

Played on the University ground and won by the Navy team by 99 runs.

Score	Navy	Varsity
Rev. Parcell, st. Yeow, b. Rumjahn	15	
Rev. Crole-Rees, c. and b. Balhetet	2	
Lieut. D'Arcy Evans, b. Balhetet	0	
Pay-Lieut. Gregory, c. Gittens, b. Balhetet	7	
Commodore Grace, b. Balhetet	1	
Lieut. Lindsay, b. Balhetet	0	
Eng.-Comm. Edwards, b. Rofley, b. Balhetet	4	
Lieut. Skinner, b. Balhetet	2	
Lieut. Adcock, not out	5	
Lieut. Beatty, c. Osman, b. Balhetet	4	
Lieut. Bowly, b. Rumjahn	0	
G. H. Ong, b. Adcock	7	
Extras	6	
Total	46	

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Balhetet	7	0	17	7
Rumjahn	6	4	23	3
Extras				
Total	13			

UNIVERSITY.

Rev. E. K. Quick, b. Beatty 0 | || T. E. Yeoh, c. Grace, b. Crole-Rees | 0 | |
A. A. Rumjahn, c. Parcell, b. Gregory	8	
M. H. Mofley, c. Parcell, b. Gregory	10	
M. B. Balhetet, c. Crole-Rees	29	
M. B. Osman, b. w. b. Adcock	11	
A. Hoalim, c. Crole-Rees, b. Gregory	17	
G. Gittens, b. Crole-Rees	0	
B. P. Ng, c. and b. Gregory	17	
G. H. Ong, b. Adcock	7	
T. O. Yeow, not out	20	
Extras	16	
Total	145	

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

M. H. Moffey, c Parcell, b Gregory	10
H. N. Balhetchet, Crole-Rees....	20
M. B. Osman, l.b.w... b Adcock...	10

FRIENDLY MATCHES.

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R. E. A. Webster, c. Shi, b. Lee	34	
D. E. J. Nicholson, c. Choa, b. Lee	5	
J. Owen Hughes, c. Shi, b. Wong	42	
E. J. R. Mitchell, not out	103	
J. D. Humphrey, c. Choa, b. Wong	4	
D. D. Peat, c. and b. Wong	20	
E. Lammer, not out	0	
Extras	18	
Total (for 5 wks, dec.)	249	

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

O.	M.	R.	W.
Balhetet	7	0	17
Rumjahn	6	4	23
Extras			
Total	13		

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Beatty	11	3	30	1
Gregory	10	1	35	4
Rev. Crole-Rees	6	2	15	3
Adcock	4	0	29	2
Bowly	3	0	14	0
Extras				
Total	34			

LEAGUE II.

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H. Spicer, b. Piercy	5	
A. L. Gace, c. Cornaby, b. Railton	18	
G. A. Chadwick, c. Gatch, b. Piercy	18	
J. D. H. Crawford, b. w. b. Railton	14	
E. C. Hazen, st. Galloway, b. Piercy	16	
H. W. Roger, b. Railton	0	
B. Crowley, c. Railton, b. Piercy	0	
S. D. Bigg, c. and b. Railton	3	
R. M. Chaloner, st. Galloway, b. Railton	0	
E. G. England, c. Railton, b. Piercy	0	
J. M. Kaye, not out	0	
Extras	2	
Total	59	

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
R. Taylor.....	11	1	45	
W. Cowen	13	1	51	
THE TEAM	2	0	12	

I.R.C. v. POLICE.

Played at Sookumpoo and resulted in a draw, time intervening with the Police wanting 21 runs to win.

Score	I.R.C.	POLICE
O. Ramjahn, b. Alexander	12	
Y. A. Wahup, c. Baker, b. C. Ramshaw	7	
F. M. Arculli, c. Baker, b. C. Ramshaw	0	
D. Mohamed, b. King	11	
E. A. Moosdeen, retired	15	
R. Nazario, c. Hallam, b. Alexander	36	
A. K. Minu, b. Earnshaw	0	
N. B. Kitchell, c. and b. Alexander	8	
I. Hassan, b. King	1	
E. Moosdeen, b. Watts	17	
J. Aekker, not out	1	
Extras	14	
Total	122	

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

shaw.....	1
D. Mohamed, b King	1
E. A. Moosdeen, retired	1

POLICE.

R. Earnshaw, run out

15 runs. C. F. Alexander, c. Wahup, b. Arculli 15 | || Chester Wood, b. Arculli | 2 | |
W. J. Watts, hit wicket, b. Minu	11	
C. Earnshaw, run out	34	
T. H. King, b. Arculli	0	
L. O. Elwood, c. Nazario, b. Minu	2	
B. Thorpe, c. Rumjahn, b. Arculli	7	
A. V. Baker, not out	1	
T. Hallam, not out	2	
Extras	8	
Total for 8 wks	102	

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	C. Earnshaw	12	2	30
3	W. J. Watts	9.1	3	18
2	T. H. King	7	0	30
	POLICE.			

FRIENDLY MATCHES.

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R. E. A. Webster, c. Shi, b. Lee	34	
D. E. J. Nicholson, c. Choa, b. Lee	5	
J. Owen Hughes, c. Shi, b. Wong	42	
E. J. R. Mitchell, not out	103	
J. D. Humphrey, c. Choa, b. Wong	4	
D. D. Peat, c. and b. Wong	20	
E. Lammer, not out	0	
Extras	18	
Total (for 5 wks, dec.)	249	

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bowling Analysis.				
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I. Hassan.....	*7	0	30	

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Balhetet	7	0	17
Rumjahn	6	4	23
Extras			
Total	13		

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Beatty	11	3	30	1
Gregory	10	1	35	4
Rev. Crole-Rees	6	2	15	3
Adcock	4	0	29	2
Bowly	3	0	14	0
Extras				
Total	34			

LEAGUE II.

O.S.C.C. 2ND v. K.C.C. 2ND.

Played at Kowloon and resulted in a draw, each side finishing with a score of 107 runs.

Score	O.S.C.C.	K.C.C.
W. Cowen, b. Fraser	12	
H. Sandford, c. Fraser, b. Fletcher	8	
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"DOWDRA"	5,070	4th Apr.	do.
"NANKIN"	5,070	14th Apr.	do.
"KARMAJA"	5,070	21st May	do.
"KASHGAR"	5,070	10th May	do.
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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LAUSANNE

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The Commission has decided to appoint a sub-commission to examine the question of the demilitarisation of certain Aegean Islands, which have been occupied by the Greeks since 1912.

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The First Commission, deliberated on the sub-commission's report, which proposes the demilitarisation of a zone of thirty kilometres on each side of Maritza; and the formation of an international commission to construct and supervise a free port at Dedagatch or neighbourhood. The sub-commission will probably consist of representatives appointed by Great Britain, France, Italy, Bulgaria, Turkey, Jugoslavia and Rumania.

Bulgaria is dissatisfied with the decision regarding Dedagatch, on the ground that such an outlet would be useless to them unless they had unhampered possession thereof.

Ismet Pasha, in consenting to the demilitarisation, remarked that Turkey is making a sacrifice in the suggested establishment of guarantees for the inviolability of the demilitarised zone.

LATER

An arrangement has been reached providing Bulgaria with an outlet on the Aegean Sea.
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The Turks appear pleased at the arrangement, because it tends to thwart the attempt to reconstitute the Balkan League.

LAUSANNE, November 25th.

The American observer, Mr. Child, in a statement to the First Commission, emphasised the sentiment of the American people, who overwhelmingly favoured the policy laid down in the memorandum of October 10th, in reply to the invitation to be represented on the Conference, namely, the assumption that the Allies will not carry into effect agreements in respect of Turkish territory, which would conflict with the principle of equality of economic opportunity, and the open door.

Mr. Child was subsequently interrogated by journalists regarding the special meaning of his statement, but declined to reply.

LAUSANNE, November 25th.

A discussion in the French Press, regarding the possibility of the retrocession of Mosul to Turkey, and a re-arrangement of oil interests in Mosul, has excited much interest here.

It is reported that a German, who is interested in the German concessions, has arrived and is communicating with the American observer, Mr. Child, but trustworthy information is unobtainable.

M. CLEMENCEAU'S U.S. TOUR.

BOSTON, November 25th.
Cheering crowds greeted M. Clemenceau as he entered Tremont Temple, where he defended himself against the charges of militarism, made in the Senate yesterday.

WASHINGTON, November 25th.

The British Embassy, in a statement, takes exception to M. Clemenceau's recent declaration that Great Britain "secured a guarantee of national safety" by the sinking of the surrendered German fleet at Scapa Flow, in 1919.

The Embassy denies any implication that the British authorities willfully permitted the sinkings.

LAW OF WAR.

LONDON, November 25th.

A commission, consisting of representatives from the United States, the British Empire, France, Italy and Japan, will meet at the Hague on December 12th, to consider possible changes in the laws relating to war, since the Hague Conference of 1907.

NEAR EAST.

ATHENS, November 25th.

The Cabinet has resigned in consequence of the refusal of M. Zaimis to assume the Premiership.

Pointing the dramatic of the British Minister urging that ex-Ministers and others on trial for treason, sentenced to death, should not be executed, M. Goutas is forming a Cabinet, with members of the Revolutionary Committee.

Reuter's correspondent learns that Mr. Lindley will break off relations and leave Greece if the execution is carried out.

ATHENS, November 25th.

The post-revolutionary political situation is rendered more complicated by the announcement of the resignation of the ministry. The military authorities are adopting an uncompromising attitude on the question of ex-Ministers now being tried for treason.

PARIS, November 25th.

Advisers from Constantinople state that the Commandant of the Allied police have decided to entrust the policing of the city to the Turkish police, only intervening when their own nationals are affected.

An official statement from Ankara denies the reported decision to expel the whole of the Christian population from Antiochia. It adds that Christians are pursuing their occupations in peace. Those who left have done so under the free right of movement recently allowed.

CANADIAN DEFENCE.

OTTAWA, November 25th.

An announcement has been made that the amalgamation of the Militia, Navy and Air Force, as one department, under the Minister of Defence, will become effective on January 1st.

Commenting on this statement, the United States War Secretary says that Canada has trained one hundred thousand men this year. The Minister of Defence declared that the number trained was 97,300, with a permanent instructional force of four thousand, the total military expenditure being a dollar and a half per capita of the population, while the expenditure of the United States is \$14 per capita.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

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ERSKINE CHILDERS.

LONDON, November 25th.

The execution of Erskine Childers has focused attention on the new phase of the Irish question. The newspapers emphasise that the Free State Government has exhausted all efforts to conciliate the rebels, and has now decided to use a strong hand, in order to protect their own troops and citizens, and also to prevent the national life being brought to a standstill by the irregulars.

New York, November 24th.
Disapproving of the Provisional Government's punitive measures, Mr. Connolly, Free State Consul-General, has resigned and returned Ireland.

Ireland is deeply stirred by the execution of Childers, and apprehensions are expressed regarding the Republicans' attempt at reprisals.

The editorial in this morning's newspapers seem agreed that the Free State authorities had no choice but to accept Childers' challenge, as guardians of the welfare of the state. Even the *Daily News* terms their case "overwhelmingly strong."

Other newspapers speak highly of Childers' bravery and ability, and deplore the end to such a promising life, but dwell on the almost irreparable injury his fanaticism has inflicted on his adopted country.

Seven of the eight men who were concerned with Childers in the *Tubercular* corpus proceeding, received sentences varying from five years' penal servitude to twelve months' imprisonment. One of the accused was acquitted.

Four hundred political prisoners have been removed from gaol at Limerick. They were conveyed to the docks under a heavy escort, and placed aboard a steamer which departed for an unknown destination.

LATER

Dublin is quiet, and the feeling of uneasiness, created by the execution of Childers, has apparently disappeared.

HOME RACING.

MANCHESTER, November 25th.

Following are the results of the November Handicap:

1. Torridore	6 to 1
2. Arravale	100 to 8
3. Orpi	25 to 1

Fourteen horses ran, three lengths separating Arravale from Torridore, and Orpi six lengths away from Torridore.

HOME FOOTBALL.

SHANGHAI, November 25th.

Following are Saturday's League Results. The home teams are listed first. The Blackburn Rovers-Stroke match was abandoned four minutes before time owing to bad light.

FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal	2	Sunderland	3
Aston Villa	0	Liverpool	1
Nottingham F.	1	Birmingham	1
Blackburn R.	0	Stoke	1
Bolton Wanderers	2	Manchester C.	1
Chelsea	0	Burnley	1
Cardiff City	0	Huddersfield T.	1
Everton	0	W. Bromwich A.	1
Middlesbrough	1	Tottenham	1
Newcastle U.	1	Tottenham H.	1
Oldham A.	0	Sheffield United	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Airdrieonians	2	Hearts	2
Glasgow	1	Ayr United	1
Glasgow F.	2	Third Lanark	0
Hibernians	3	Albion Rovers	0
Kilmarnock	1	Falkirk	0
Morton	2	Dundee	3
Northampton	5	Clyde	3
Partick Thistle	2	Aberdeen	1
Ruth Rovers	1	Hamilton	1
St. Mirren	1	Rangers	0

M. C. C.

EAST LONDON, November 25th.

In a two-day match, Border were all out for a total of seventy runs. M.C.C. scored 152 for the loss of four wickets. Sandham making sixty-one not out.

DENIAL.

BUCHAREST, November 25th.

The King of Rumania's reported escape from assassination is denied.

AMERICAN MINE EXPLOSION.

SANTAFE (New Mexico), Nov. 25th.

An explosion has occurred in an anthracite mine, which resulted in the death and injury of a large number of miners.

A LESSON TO THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT.

BERLIN, November 25th.

The inter-Allied Military Mission has strongly protested to the German Government, in regard to a crowd attacking British and French control officers at Ingolstadt, Bavaria.

The Commission is immediately sending officers of various nationalities to Munich, to reinforce the district committee, and show the German Government that the result of such incidents will be a considerable tightening up of inter-Allied control.

CONTROL OF ANTHRAX.

LONDON, November 25th.

The League of Nations Labour Office announces that the International Advisory Committee on anthrax meets in London on December 8th, under the Chairmanship of Sir W. Middlebrook. The experts nominated by the respective Governments include Sir Thomas Oliver, Australia; Lieut. Colonel Hutchinson, India; Prof. W. Dixon, South Africa and Dr. Hoskins, Japan.

INDIAN NON-CO-OPERATORS.

CALCUTTA, November 25th.

After four days' discussion, the All India Congress Committee failed to achieve unanimity on the question whether non-co-operators should be allowed to participate in the elections for the Legislature, with the object of weakening reforms.

The question was finally referred to the National Congress at Gaya, by 27 votes to 12. The question of boycotting British goods was referred to the same Congress.

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Mrs. Violet D. Smith, Paris obtained a divorce in Chicago because she alleged her husband confessed he loved another woman and that when she was forced to accompany her husband and the other woman to the theatre she acted as servant and carried the other woman's wraps. She declared her husband told her he regretted he could not marry the other woman and have his first wife, Violet, live with them, "because she was so motherly."



Mrs. Joseph E. Widener, wife of the Philadelphia traction magnate, and her pet, Dinty Moore, at White Sulphur Springs.



Ulric McHale, only thirteen, is believed to be the youngest college student in America, being enrolled in the Catholic University in Washington, D. C.

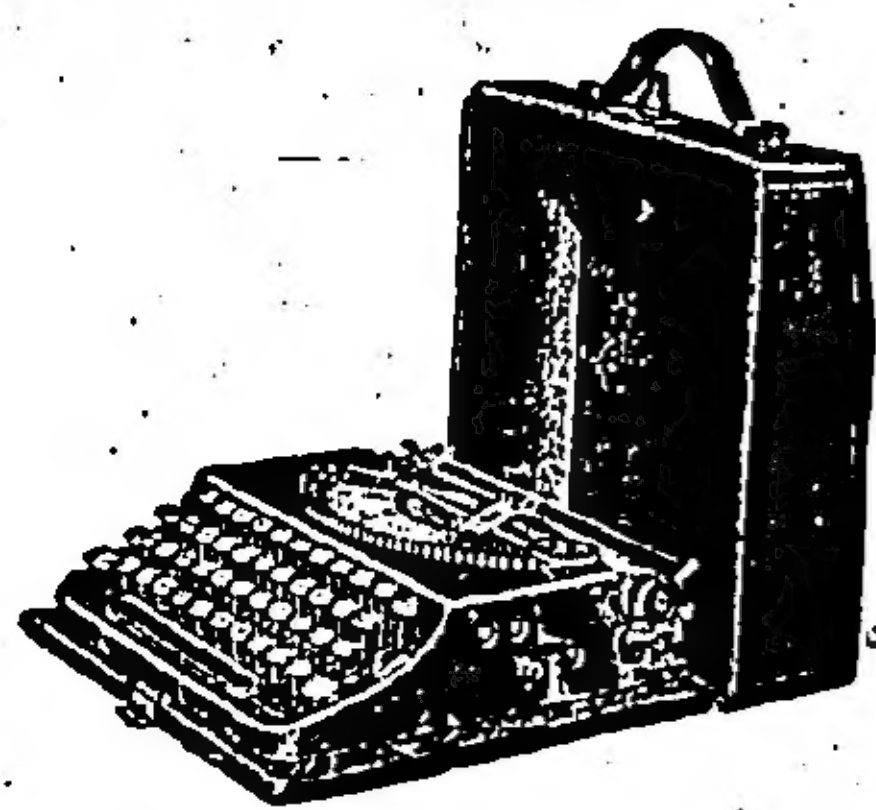


Christy Mathewson

The greatest of all world baseball series heroes—Christy Mathewson—well recovered from his long fight against tuberculosis, saw his first world series in three years, acting as a reporter.



Owing to alterations in the heating system of the reptile house in the London Zoo it was necessary to move the huge snakes, and this is the careless way the keepers treated them.



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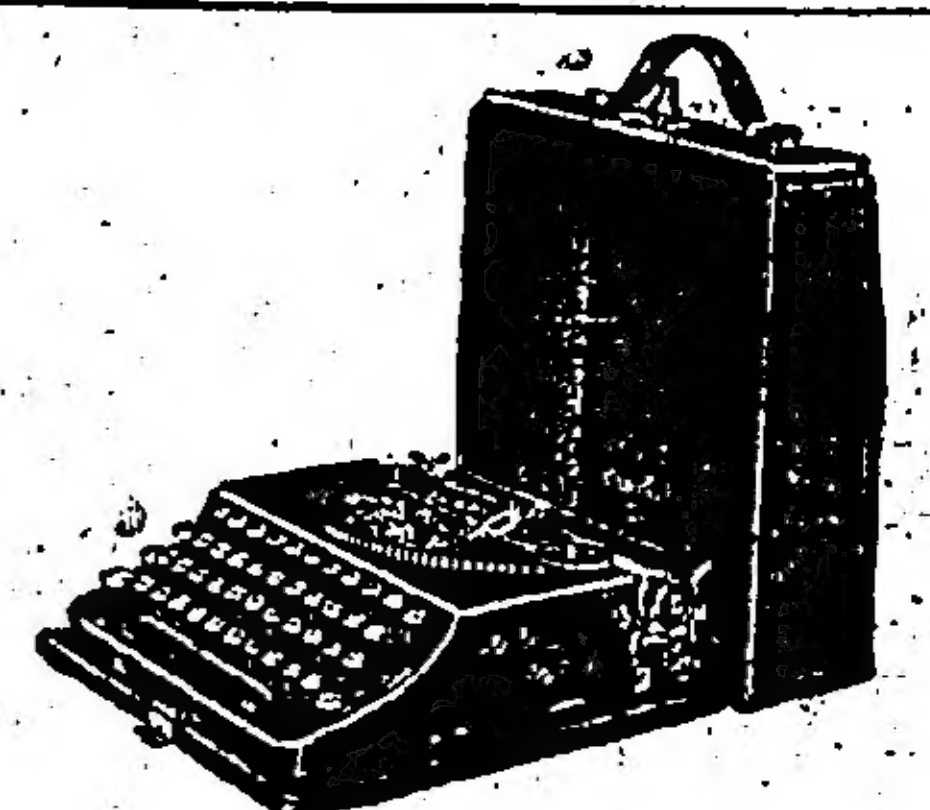
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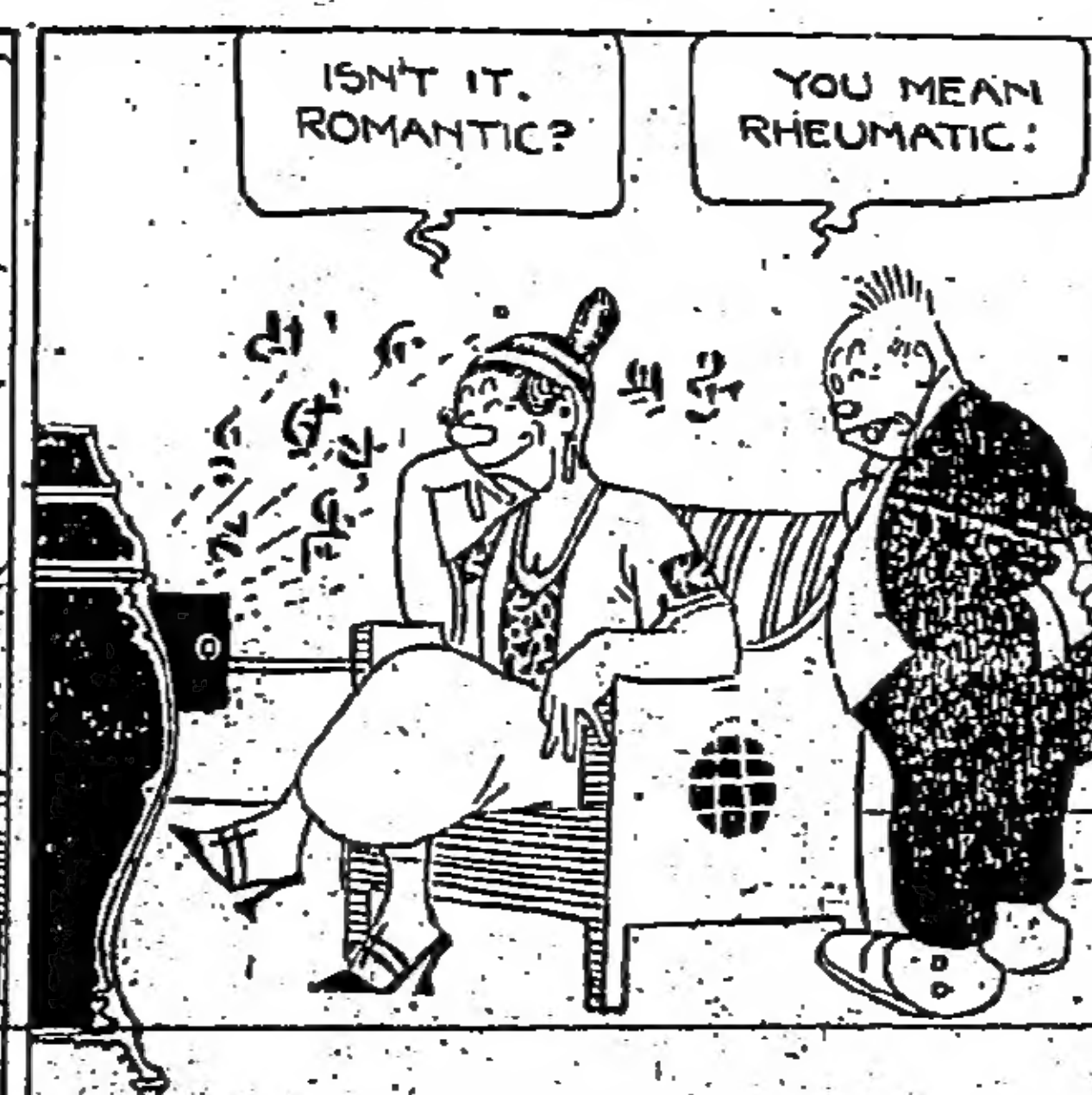
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EARLIER TELEGRAMS

(Router's Service to the China Mail.)

BETHLEHEM STEEL CORPORATION.

New York, November 25th.
The President of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation has announced the purchase of the Midvale Steel Company, giving the corporation an ingot capacity of 7,000,000 tons.
The purchase price was \$27,000,000, payable in Bethlehem common stock. He added that the Attorney-General was satisfied regarding the regularity of the transaction, but some opposition was to be expected from the Federal Trade Commission.

BRITISH SUBJECTS IN GERMANY.

London, November 24th.
The British Government has made representations to Germany against the excessive taxation of British residents and visitors to Germany.

SMALL POX IN ENGLAND.

London, November 25th.
The Ministry of Health is insisting on the necessity for vaccination, owing to reports regarding small-pox of a virulent type in various parts of the country. Since the first case was discovered at Poplar, on October 27th, 37 cases have been admitted to London Hospitals, including 32 from Poplar. Seventeen deaths are reported.
A telegram states that a Montreal liner from England has been quarantined owing to an English passenger aboard suffering from small-pox.

FRENCH WOMEN SUFFRAGISTS.

Paris, November 25th.
The women suffragists have decided to systematically refuse to pay taxes till they are granted the vote, following the Senate's action on November 21st.

GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S PROGRAMME.

Berlin, November 25th.
Speaking in the Reichstag, Herr Cuno, the Premier, stated that the new Government were fully resolved to execute the Warth Government's programme, as outlined in the Note to the Reparations Commission, on November 13th. Germany must have a complete moratorium for reparations payments in cash and kind, except deliveries for the devastated regions, for three or four years, and must obtain a loan of 500,000,000 gold marks, in order to establish her finances.
The Government would do everything possible to discharge Germany's obligations, as the loser in the war, especially in regard to the devastated regions, but Germany's vital requirements must first be provided for.
Referring to the Rhineland, Herr Cuno said that the Government would never surrender the occupied Germany territory.

Berlin, November 25th.
The Reichstag was the scene of a sensational attack by the Socialists on Herr Mueller, Minister of Food, who was accused of complicity in the Separatist Movement on the Rhineland.
Herr Mueller repudiated the accusation, and the Chancellor promised an investigation. Herr Mueller subsequently resigned.

AMERICAN POLITICS.

Washington, November 25th.
The Government has begun legal proceedings to recover sums totalling \$175,000,000, alleged to represent excess expenditure involved in the construction of "meritoric" enterprises during wartime.
Mr. Lullbach (Republican), a member of the House of Representatives, and the Merchant Marine Committee, accused the Democrats of straining at a gnat and swallowing the camel, because they opposed the Ship Subsidy Bill, which, at a comparatively small expense, would end the present expense of Government ownership.

Mr. Davis, a Democrat member of the committee, charged the Government with trying to force the Bill through the present Congress, which was elected two years ago, when the subsidy was not an issue. Two hundred members of that Congress were defeated at the recent elections, and he declared the passage of the Bill would be the greatest scandal in the history of the Republic.

Washington, November 25th.
The general debate in the House of Representatives on the Ship Subsidy Bill has closed, but opponents of the measure intend to continue the fight next week, by proposing various amendments.
Mr. Hawley, a member of the Merchant Marine Committee, in the course of a speech said that, under the bill, the Standard Oil Company could collect Government money for carrying its own products, in its own tanks, to Shanghai, where it could sell oil worth seventy cents per barrel here, for seven dollars a barrel.

REPORTED INTERVIEW DENIED

Paris, November 25th.
M. Leygue's states that he gave no interview to the *Chicago Tribune* in regard to the Washington Treaty.

STARVING RUSSIAN REFUGEES.

Tokyo, November 25th.
The condition of four thousand Russian refugees, who are stranded at Genoa, is reported as increasingly deplorable. Some deaths have occurred, and it is stated that the Japanese Red Cross Society is considering immediate relief on an adequate scale.
The Tokyo branch of the American Red Cross Society has contributed all its surplus funds to the committee from Seoul, which is now caring for the children and aged people.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS.

VESSELS DUE

FROM SHANGHAI.

Nov. 29.—J.C.J.L. Tjibarak.

FROM BANGKOK.

Nov. 28.—E.A. Bintang.

Dec. 10.—E.A. Banks.

FROM JAPAN.

Nov. 28.—J.C.J.L. Tjibarak.

FROM MANILA.

Nov. 29.—U.S.S.B. West Farolan.

Dec. 13.—U.S.S.B. Apus.

FROM JAVA.

Nov. 29.—U.S.S.B. West Farolan.

Dec. 13.—U.S.S.B. Apus.

FROM SINGAPORE.

Nov. 29.—S. & B. West Farolan.

Dec. 13.—U.S.S.B. Apus.

FROM CALCUTTA.

Nov. 29.—N.Y.K. Tetsuichi Maru.

Dec. 3.—N.Y.K. Tosa Maru.

FROM SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Dec. 1.—A.O. Taiyuan.

9.—E.A. Arafara.

14.—N.Y.K. Yoshino Maru.

30.—A.O. Changsha.

FROM SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

Nov. 29.—N.Y.K. Kawachi Maru.

FROM PORTLAND.

Dec. 2.—Col. P.S. Eastern Sailor.

Jan. 2.—Col. P.S. Pawlet.

30.—Col. P.S. Wavona.

FROM VANCOUVER.

Nov. 30.—R.F. Tallyho.

Dec. 2.—R.F. Tyndarus.

Jan. 18.—R.F. Proteus.

Feb. 15.—R.F. Achilles.

Mar. 8.—R.F. Tallyho.

Apr. 19.—R.F. Proteus.

FROM LOS ANGELES.

Jan. 3.—U.S.S.B. West Chopaka.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Jan. 3.—U.S.S.B. West Chopaka.

FROM NEW YORK.

Nov. 21.—P.L. Gaelic Prince.

FROM EUROPEAN PORTS.

Dec. 2.—P. & O. Pasty.

2.—P. & O. Scilla.

16.—P. & O. Scyllia.

20.—H.A.I. Preuss.

30.—P. & O. Nellore.

Jan. 15.—P. & O. Delta.

27.—P. & O. Kalyan.

Feb. 1.—P. & O. Kalyan.

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Mar. 10.—P. & O. Nankin.

24.—P. & O. Karmala.

Apr. 7.—P. & O. Khiva.

21.—P. & O. Kathgar.

FROM LONDON.

Nov. 29.—G.L. Carnarvonshire.

Dec. 2.—P. & O. Pasty.

3.—P. & O. Scilla.

16.—G.L. Scyllia.

20.—P. & O. Scyllia.

30.—P. & O. Scyllia.

Jan. 1.—G.L. Scyllia.

4.—P. & O. Scyllia.

15.—P. & O. Scyllia.

27.—P. & O. Scyllia.

Feb. 1.—P. & O. Scyllia.

Mar. 10.—P. & O. Scyllia.

24.—P. & O. Scyllia.

Apr. 7.—P. & O. Scyllia.

21.—P. & O. Scyllia.

FROM COPENHAGEN.

Dec. 12.—K.A. Australien.

Jan. 10.—K.A. Australien.

Feb. 5.—K.A. Australien.

MOVEMENTS OF SHIPMENTS.

The T.K.K. s.s. "Siberia Maru" arrived at Yokohama on Nov. 24 and sailed on Nov. 26 for Honolulu and San Francisco.

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" 30 days sight ... 3/4-1/2

" 4 months sight ... 3/4-1/2

" Documentary 4 months sight ... 3/4-1/2

" On Paris—

" On demand ... 760

" Credits, 4 months sight ... 735

" On New York—

" On demand ... 534

" Credits, 60 days sight ... 562

" On Bombay—

" Wire ... 779

" On demand ... 779

" On Calcutta—

" Wire ... 779

" On demand ... 779

" On Singapore—

" On demand ... 101

" On Manila—

" On demand ... 108

" On Shanghai—

" On demand ... 108

" On Yokohama—

" On demand ... 109

" Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per leaf) ... 8.90

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" 10 ... par.

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" Rate of Native Interest ... 8 1/2 p.

" Chinese Sub. Coin ... 14 1/2 d.

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11.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon " 10 "

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LOCAL SHAKE MARKET.

HONGKONG, NOVEMBER 27th, 1922.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

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Banks.

H.B.S.C. T.T. selling rate

on London ... 3/4

and on Shanghai ... 7/4

Shanghai Settlement, Exchange ... 7/4

Hongkong Bank ... 94 1/2

do. New ... 94 1/2

East Asia Bank ... 94 1/2

Marine Insurance ... 470 b.

North China Insurance ... 131 n.

Union Insurance ... 209 b.

Yantai Insurance ... 225 b.

Far Eastern ... 2

China Fire Insurance ... 110 b.

Hongkong Fire Insurance ... 130 b.

Shipping

Doyle ... 53 b.

H.C. Steamer ... 53 b.

Indo-China (P&O) ... 53 b.

do. (Def.) ... 53 b.

Shell Transports ... 63 1/2 b.

Star Service ... 41 n.

Refiners ... 154 n.

China Sugar ... 152 n.

Malabar Sugar ... 48 n.

Mining

Kailash Mining Adm. ... 60 1/2 n.

Langkai ... 14 1/2 n.

Shanghai Loans ... 14 1/2 n.

S&P Explorations ... 14 1/2 n.

Rauhe ... 6 n.

Trochil ... 28 1/2 b.

Ural Caspian ... 13 1/2 b.

Boguslov ... 210 b.

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H. & W. Wharfs ... 169 b. 167 1/2 n.

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Shal Dock ... 799 n. & n.

New Engineering ... 880 n.

P.K. Engineering ... 9

Land, Hotels & Buildings

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